#### Industrial Design Capabilities KDA Industrial Design Consultants, Inc.

Established in 1947 KDA is an Industrial Design Consultancy that provides cutting edge innovative design and development capabilities for products, packaging and corporate identity.

Our in-depth design experience is in the consumer, fitness, commercial, institutional, medical and industrial markets. Our activities are directed towards profitable product sales, customer satisfaction and reduced tooling, labor and manufacturing costs.

#### We are capable of:

Turning concepts into reality
Designing aesthetic products
Applying human factors
Lowering manufacturing coats
Designing marketable products
Selecting materials & processes
Product innovation and invention
Advanced design concepts
Designing patentable products
Competitive patent circumvention

KDA provides you with a cost effective source of comprehensive product design, engineering, prototyping and visual communications. Our location and network of multi-discipline services keep our overhead low. These cost savings are passed on to you. We do not charge for project management.

KDA can bring the following resources and disciplines to bear on each product design development project or program:

## **Experienced Industrial Designers**

Advanced, Futuristic Styling State-of-the-art Product Design Design for Cost Reduction Design Research & Analysis Human Factors Design & Ergonomics
Competitive Product Evaluation
Field Studies of Marketing Environment
User Interface Testing & Focus Groups
Task Analysis and Work Flow Analysis
Ergonomic Integration of Anthropometrics
Design and Integration of various materials.
Multi-manufacturing Process Part Interface

#### Multiple Engineering Disciplines

Mechanical Design & Analysis
Digital & Analog Electronic Design
Embedded Microprocessor Systems
Electro-Mechanical Mechanisms
Optical Engineering
Software & GUI Design Development
Programming and Systems Design

#### Prototype Specialists & Rapid Model Making

Stereolithography & Cast Urethane Models CNC Rapid Models and Multiples One-Up or Multiple Prototype Models Functional Prototypes Appearance Mock-up Models

CAD Design ~ 2D & 3-D Solid Modeling

SolidWorks, AutoCAD, Pro/E Photorealistic Illustrations & Sketches

### Manufacturing Interface

Material Specifications
OEM Components & Vendor Sourcing
Manufacturing Coordination & Supervision
Tooling Quotations & Manufacturing Interface
Offshore Tooling & Manufacturing Sources
Sourcing New Manufacturers & Processes

#### Visual Communication

QuarkXpress, PhotoShop Graphic Design, Logos, Brands & Packaging Corporate Identification Programs & Manuals Product Graphics, Name Plates, Controls Structural Packaging in Corrugated & Folding Display Design & P.O.P. Merchandisers Exhibit Design & Trade Show Booths Trade Show Models & Functional Blow-Ups

KDA's Design Team delivers cost effective results. Our unique combination of individuals, knowledge and disciplines provides a problem solving ability which is virtually impossible to duplicate. KDA can provide comprehensive product development programs, turn key programs or design a specific single-item product.

Our 3,000 sq. ft. in-house prototype and model making facility is fully equipped to fabricate any type of models from rough mock-ups or breadboards to fully functional pre-production prototypes. Pilot runs of limited quantities or soft tooled molded products can be provided.

Call, Write, Fax or E-mail us to arrange for a credentials presentation. We will sign a non-disclosure agreement, define your products design goals and objectives and prepare an in-depth written proposal without cost or obligation.

Thirty four percent of your future profits will come from new products. KDA can assist you with achieving your short and long range goals. Copyright © 1947 ~ 2005 by KDA Design

Now is a perfect time to contact us. John Howard, CEO/President ~ 630.495.9466

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